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Re: Application for Patent Term Extension US Patent No. 5,250,542 ENTEREG® (alvimopan)

Please see the attached ELECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.785(b) AND WAIVER OF PERIOD FOR REQUESTING RECONSIDERATION by which Applicant elects the subject patent for certificate of extension. In view of the fact that the original term of this patent expires on March 29, 2011, Applicant is also waiving the period for requesting reconsideration in order to expedite issuance of the final Certificate of Extension.

Thank you. Donald J. Bird

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HATCH-WAXMAN PTE ENTEREG® (alvimopan) US Patent No. 5,250,542 Date January 20, 2011 VIA FACSIMILE

## ELECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.785(b) AND

## WAIVER OF PERIOD FOR REQUESTING RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

With reference to the Notice of Final Determination mailed January 3, 2011, and pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.785(b), Applicant hereby elects that a Certificate of Extension be issued to the subject U.S. Patent No. 5,250,542.

Additionally, Applicant agrees with the determination of 3,366 days for the period of extension, and thus agrees to waive the one month period of time to request reconsideration of the Notice of Final Determination so that the Certificate of Extension can issue as quickly as possible.

Accordingly, Applicant requests that the final Certificate of Extension be issued without further delay extending the of the term of the above-referenced patent by 3,366 days, providing an extended term to and including March 29, 2016.

Please continue to address all inquiries and correspondence relating to this application for patent term extension to the following registered practitioner, who

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